

New Fire Service and Civil Protection Centre for Benitachell

Benitaxell Council has received a grant under the Valencian “Plan Confianza” to build a centre for the Volunteer Fire Brigade and the Civil Protection Unit, valued at 270,000 euros. It will be located on a plot of 3000 meters on the North entrance to Cumbre del Sol and, in addition to the space for the voluntary agencies, will have a multipurpose meeting room and an office for public enquiries.

The Regional Minister of the Interior, Serafin Castilian, visited the town on the 10th February, to find out more about the project and to show his appreciation that Benitaxell chose to use part of the total grant (one million euros) for security infrastructure, "a basic public service".

Castilian commented that the new headquarters "is a good building in which volunteers can operate and play their important role for the citizens with support in emergency situations".

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